

GATHERED GEMS.

Giving is the gauge of living.
He who serves not slays.
An empty head cannot be hallowed.
You cannot glorify God by deepening his world.
The race for gold does not make the golden race.
In immoral matters one and one may make a million.
People who beat about the bush get none of the berries.
All out debts to God are payable to men.
When a man brags of a good deed it is because he knows so few of them.
The man whose life leads nowhere is never late in getting there.

Sells More of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy Than of All Others Put Together.

Mr. Thomas George, a merchant at Mt. Elgin, Ontario, says: "I have had the local agency for Chamberlain's Cough Remedy ever since it was introduced into Canada, and I sell as much of it as I do of all other lines I have on my shelves put together. Of the many dozens sold under guarantee, I have not had one bottle returned. I can personally recommend this medicine as I have used it myself and given it to my children, and always with the best results." For sale by all dealers.

Love runs over, but it never slopes over.

Only a crooked heart will justify its acts by twisted texts.

Many a pessimist as to humanity finds his premises in his own heart.

Many prayers are long only because they are so thin.

The only way to lighten your labor is to find something to love in it.

In Time of Peace.

In the first months of the Russia-Japan war we had a striking example of the necessity for preparation and the early advantage of those who, so to speak, "have shingled their roofs in dry weather." The virtue of preparation has made history and given to us our greatest men. The individual as well as the nation should be prepared for any emergency. Are you prepared to combat the cold cold you take? A cold can be cured much more quickly when treated as soon as it has been contracted and before it has become settled in the system. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is famous for its cures of colds and it should be kept at hand ready for instant use. For sale by all dealers.

The worse infidelity is to live as though God had forgotten.

The prayerful heart will be proven by the practical life.

You cannot get into green pastures while you herd with the goats.

The cash-register church makes but a poor record above.

Every curriculum must be tested in conduct.

Straight dealers are the best evidence of being in the narrow way.

True spirituality is the ability to see the altar in the washbasin and the cook stove.

Bilious Attack Quickly Cured.

A few weeks ago I had a bilious attack that was so severe I was not able to get to the office for two days. Failing to get relief from my family physician's treatment, I took three of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets and the next day I felt like a new man.—H. C. Bailey, Editor of the News, Chapin, S. C. These tablets are for sale by all dealers.

Without the sense of stewardship culture becomes a curse.

The slumber of one saint is no excuse for the sloth of another.

No tree that is worth publishing can be put into type.

No man is going to buy your piety if your peanuts are ancient.

The only things that are established are those that never stand still.

It's better to have a little sense of the practical religion than the finest appreciation of its poetic aspects alone.

Croup.

A reliable medicine and one that should always be kept in the home for immediate use is Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It will prevent the attack if given as soon as the child becomes hoarse, or even after the croupy cough appears. For sale by all dealers.

Some men think that a pugnacious disposition provides them with all the piety they need.

Buy your smiles at the bar and you are likely to pick up your sorrows everywhere.

Now that the julep season is passing no one feels inclined to worry much about the closing of the United States mint.

Tutt's Pills

will save the dyspeptic from many days of misery, and enable him to eat whatever he wishes. They prevent

SICK HEADACHE, cause the food to assimilate and regulate the body, give keen appetite.

DEVELOP FLESH and solid muscle. Elegantly sugar coated.

Take No Substitute.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy Cures Colds, Croup and Whooping Cough.

Can't is the devil's creed.
Trifling spells triumph.
The tricker is always proud of his tact.
Warm hearts do not grow in hot-houses.
Guiding the whistle will not raise the steam.
It is hard to be in the swim without getting soaked.
An empty head is no evidence of a holy heart.
It is only the evil we cherish that has power to chastise us.
True prayer wears out the soles faster than the knees.
Sermons that are easy on the pulpit may be hard on the people.
If you have the water of life you will not need to water life's stocks.
There are men who never think of glory unless they go by a graveyard.
Riches are roots of evils only to the man who has failed to raise any.

"I Thank the Lord!"

cried Hannah Plant, of Little Rock, Ark., "for the relief I got from Bucklen's Arnica Salve. It cured my fearful running sores, which nothing else would heal, and from which I had suffered for 5 years." It is a marvelous healer for cuts, burns and wounds. Guaranteed at all druggists; 25c.

Half-hearted service is always heavy.

Sunny souls are not troubled with doubt damps.

You may know a man by the friends he drops.

There's a tack somewhere for every pneumatic saint.

The best way to bear your cross is to share another's cares.

Most men have less trouble in forgetting their follies than in foregoing them.

It will take more than chicken piety to save this world from sin.

It's no trouble finding short cuts to no end of trouble.

Some people are never grateful they get hungry.

No man can build his own reputation out of the ruins of another's.

Don't pray "Thy kingdom come," and then block the track with your opinions.

When a man has religion in his heart he will not need it on his husband.

The only version of the Bible authorized by heaven is the one on two feet.

Chapped Hands.

Wash your hands with warm water, dry with a towel and apply Chamberlain's Salve just before going to bed, and a speedy cure is certain. This salve is unequalled for skin diseases. For sale by all dealers.

The man who is always in the way always thinks he is in the only way.

Any religion is easier to describe than to demonstrate.

The noble life asks for more service instead of more servants.

Small souls always think they have the whole of religion when they get one thread from its many-colored garment.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of J. C. Ayer & Co.

The man who can be trusted when no one is looking will do work that all will look at.

When God wants a man to come in ahead he frequently gives him a handicap.

It takes more than a drop of sorrow to sweeten a sea of sin.

Better pass up the offering than waste your genius trying to make a nickel look like a dollar.

It takes more than a brotherly manner to make up for the lack of business method in religion.

Tapering off a bad habit is often only the whittling of the kindling for a new start.

Many a man's denominational convictions are in inverse ratio to the denomination of the coin he drops in the collection.

M. Witte probably vaccinated the car with some of the American ideas that he absorbed at Portsmouth.

Water is said to be filling the right-of-way of the Panama canal. This ought to be an encouraging sign.

The light-weight man always thinks that his buoyancy is due to his wings.

The devil makes a lot of people believe that his winking is their thinking.

There are preachers who think the wearing of a red necktie will solve the whole problem of popularizing the pulpit.

Some men believe they are doing a lot for God because they go to prayer meeting every time they have a grinch to unload.

No slave is more securely bound than he who thinks he is free to serve himself alone.

King Alfonso call the matrimonially eligible princess "empty-headed and plain." Evidently, what my dear Alfonso is looking for is the ne plus ultra American girl.

A St. Louis girl is being sued for \$20,000 and a dog by a man whom she refused to marry. She should give up the pup; both of them, in fact.

WOULD KICK AND SCREAM

Baby's Awful Suffering from Eczema—Could Not Hold Her—Tore Face and Arms Almost to Pieces—Grateful Mother Says:

"CUTICURA REMEDIES SAVED HER LIFE"

"When my little girl was six months old, she had eczema. We had used cold creams and all kinds of remedies, but nothing did her any good; in fact, she kept getting worse. I used to wrap her hands up, and when I would dress her, I had to put her on the table, for I could not hold her. She would kick and scream, and when she could, she would tear her face and arms almost to pieces. I used four boxes of Cuticura Ointment, two cakes of Cuticura Soap, and gave her the Cuticura Resolvent, and she was cured, and I see no traces of the humor left. I can truthfully say that they have saved her life, and I should advise any one suffering as she did, to give Cuticura a fair trial. Mrs. C. A. Conrad, Lebanon, N. H., Feb. 7, 1898."

FIVE YEARS LATER

Mrs. Conrad Writes

"It is with pleasure that I can inform you that the cure has been permanent. It is now six years since she was cured, and there has been no return of the disease since. I have advised a lot of friends to use Cuticura in all diseases of the skin."

Instant relief and refreshing sleep for skin-tormented babies, and rest for tired, fretted mothers, in warm baths with Cuticura Soap and gentle ointments with Cuticura Ointment, the great skin cure. This is the purest, sweetest, most speedy, permanent, and economical treatment for torturing, disfiguring, itching, burning, scaly, crusted and pimply skin and scalp humors.

Sold throughout the world. Cuticura Resolvent, etc. (in form of Chocolate Coated Pills, etc. per box of 50). Cuticura Soap, 25c. Cuticura Ointment, 25c. Cuticura, 25c. Send for "Cuticura Skin Book."

Borrowed brains have a way of banking when you drive them in public.

The song of sympathy never comes until the singer has been to the school of sorrow.

Man's Unreasonableness

is often as great as woman's. But Thos. S. Austin, Mgr. of the "Republican," of Leavenworth, Ind., was not unreasonable when he refused to allow the doctors to operate on his wife for female trouble. "Instead," he says, "we concluded to try Electric Bitters. My wife was then so sick she could hardly leave her bed and five (5) physicians had failed to relieve her. After taking Electric Bitters she was perfectly cured and can now perform all her household duties." Guaranteed by all druggists; price 50c.

A Kiss That Failed.

A few evenings ago a young farmer near Houlika called on a girl and in the course of the evening when he attempted to kiss her she bade him desist; but as he persisted, she made up her mind to teach him a lesson.

"I'll tell father if you don't stop," she said.

"No, you wouldn't," said the farmer.

The young woman arose and went into the next room, where father was reading.

Mr. Blank would like to see your new shot gun, pa," she said.

The old man, anxious to have his new treasure admired, grabbed the gun and rushed into the parlor.

The young man mistook "pa's errand and left so suddenly that father is wondering what ailed Mr. Blake.

Don't look for a leak in the gas pipe with a candle, or shoot in the dark when you think there is a burglar in the house.

RELIEVES PAIN INSTANTLY

DR. HUNT'S RANGUM ROOT LINIMENT

It is made from nothing but the best of the Rangoon roots, and is the most powerful and reliable remedy for all kinds of pain.

It is used for all kinds of pain, from the most common to the most severe.

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What The Little Angel Said.

Mrs. Mortimer Rutherford, of Riverside Drive, says the Saturday Evening Post, in despair of breaking her little boy of swearing, at last threatened that the next time he used a bad word she would banish him from home. The very next day he exploded a big, big D.

"I am very sorry, Wilbur," said Mrs. Rutherford, "but I have never broken my word to you, so now you must leave home."

Nanett packed the child's little toy suitcase, and he without a whimper, but with round wondering eyes and downcast mouth, and departed. Mrs. Rutherford's eyes were dim as she watched her baby boy in his blue traveling suit sturdily trudging away, without one falling, backward glance.

A long way off Wilbur sat his burden on the ground, and himself perched solemnly on the curb, chin in hands, in deep meditation. The spectacle was too much for the fond mother-heart. Very quietly mamma sped down the Drive and tiptoed up behind Master Wilbur. As she was hovering on the very point of surprising him with tearful kisses, a pompous old man appeared.

"Child," he said; "child, will you—tell me where Mr. Milliken lives?"

"Ah! Now mamma's little man would show his excellent breeding! Wilbur raised his solemn blue eyes, and regarded the pompous man coldly.

"You go to—," he said, calmly. "I have troubles of my own."

The German kaiser smokes cigarettes. Maybe the "yellow peril" is on the kaiser's fingers.

A Disastrous Calamity.

It is a disastrous calamity when you lose your health, because indigestion and constipation have sapped it away. Prompt relief can be had in Dr. King's New Life Pills. They build up your digestive organs, and cure headache, dizziness, colic, constipation, etc. Guaranteed at all druggists; 25c.

It is easy to be brave when you know the enemy has only blank cartridges.

Many a man thinks he is patient with pain when he is only perverse in eating pickles.

Son Lost Mother.

"Consumption runs in our family, and through it I lost my mother," writes E. B. Reid, of Harmony, Me. "For the past five years, however, on the slightest sign of a cough or cold, I have taken Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, which has saved me from serious lung trouble." His mother's death was a sad loss for Mr. Reid, but he learned that lung trouble must not be neglected, and how to cure it. Quick relief and cure for coughs and colds. Price 50c and \$1; guaranteed at all druggists. Trial bottle free.

The happy Christian so advertises his religion that the other man will not be happy till he gets it.

Men who take pains to be faithful to the fashions are not likely to be fashioned to the faithful.

It's hard to steer a straight course when you keep your conscience in your pants pocket.

The author of "Rooked in the Cradle of the Deep," has been admitted to the Hall of Fame. Several ambitious singers of the poem, however, ought not to be admitted to any hall.

TUMORS CONQUERED

SERIOUS OPERATIONS AVOIDED

Unqualified Success of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound in the Case of Mrs. Fannie D. Fox.

One of the greatest triumphs of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is the conquering of woman's dread enemy, Tumor. The growth of a tumor is so slow that frequently its presence is not suspected until it is far advanced.



Mrs. Fannie D. Fox

So-called "wandering pains" may come from its early stages, or the presence of danger may be made manifest by profuse menstruation, accompanied by unusual pain, from the ovaries down the groin and thighs.

If you have mysterious pains, if there are indications of inflammation or displacement, don't wait for time to confirm your fears and go through the horrors of a hospital operation; secure Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound right away and begin its use.

Mrs. Pinkham, of Lynn, Mass., will give you her advice free of all charge if you will write her about yourself. Your letter will be seen by women only.

Dear Mrs. Pinkham:— "I take the liberty to congratulate you on the success I have had with your wonderful medicine. Eighteen months ago my months stopped. Shortly after I felt so badly that I submitted to a thorough examination by a physician and was told that I had a tumor on the uterus and would have to undergo an operation."

"Soon after I read one of your advertisements and decided to give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial. After trying five bottles as directed the tumor is entirely gone. I have been examined by physician and he says I have no signs of a tumor now. It has also brought my months around once more, and I am entirely well."—Fannie D. Fox, 7 Chestnut Street, Bradford, Pa.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy Cures Colds, Croup and Whooping Cough.

Special Rates Via the Queen and Crescent Route.

To points in Louisiana, Arkansas, Texas and the Territories on the following days: August 1 and 15, September 5 and 18, October 3 and 17, November 7 and 21, and December 5 and 19, with limit to return 21 days from date of sale. Stopovers in both directions.

For further information address: JNO. W. WOOD, Trav. Pass. Agt., Meridian, Miss.

FEELING LIVER-ISH This Morning?

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THE FORDS Black-Draught

Stops Indigestion—Constipation

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